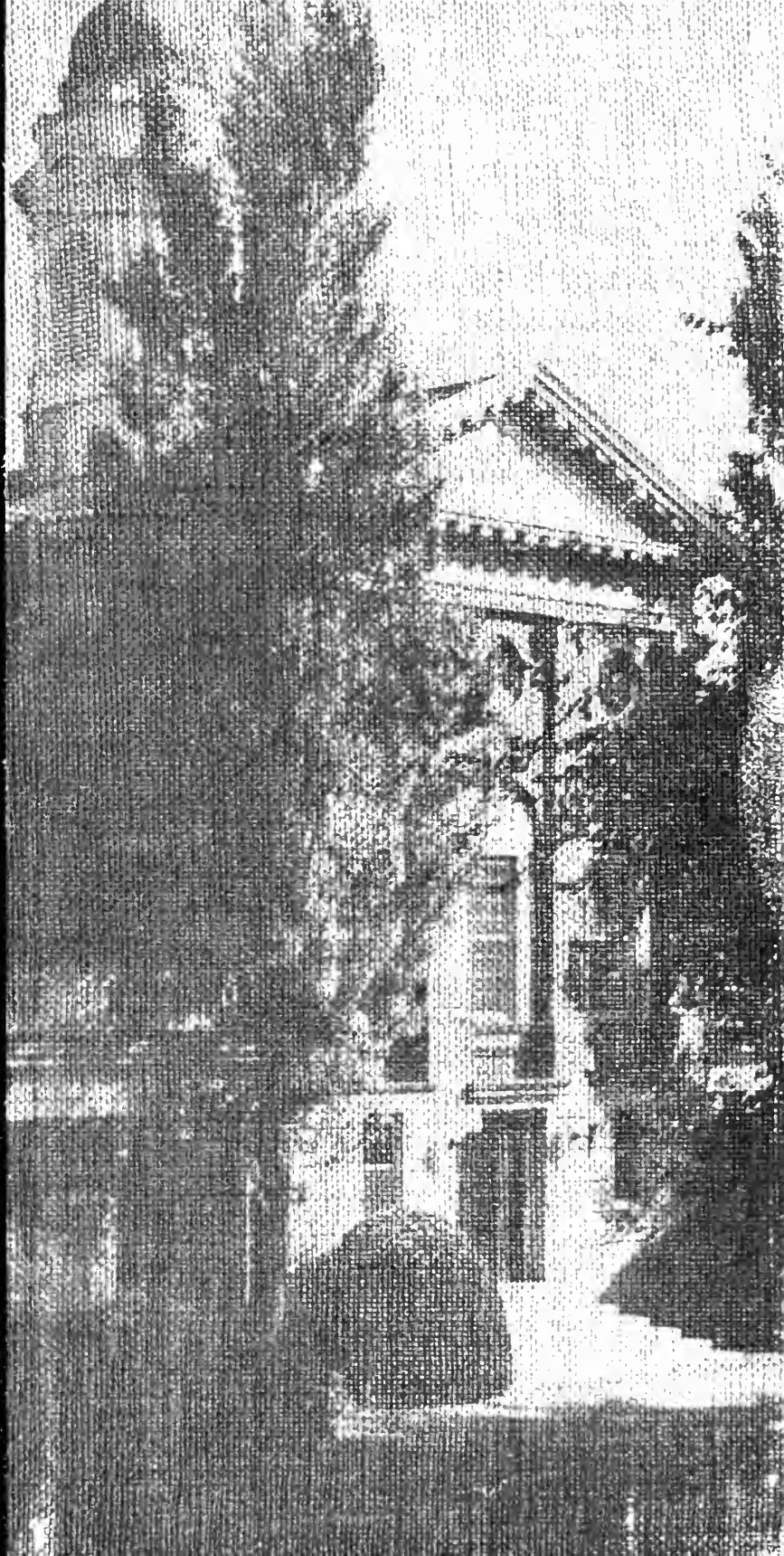


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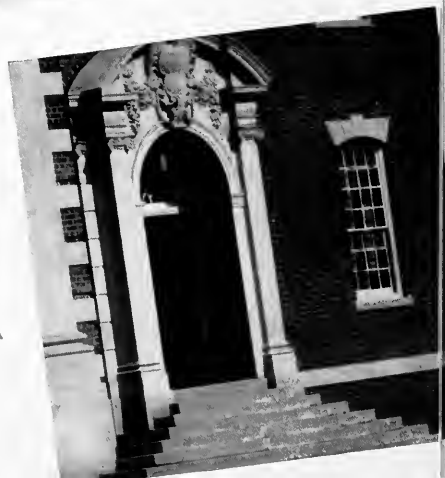


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*Nineteen Forty*



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THE JUNIOR CLASS OF SWEETBRIAR



COLLEGE PRESENTS THE *Briar Patch* OF NINETEEN FORTY

# A SYMBOL OF BEAUTY



TO VIRGINIA from Vermont in the early years of the eighteenth century, came Elijah Fletcher. He married Marie Antoinette Crawford, of the Plantation of Tusculum, and through the years acquired of the rolling red Amherst County land more than eight thousand acres, Sweet Briar Plantation. Elijah had a daughter who married James Henry Williams and they in turn had a daughter, Daisy. A clever, affectionate, practical girl was Daisy, observant, sensitive to the beauty of her home. She was interested in everything and everyone on the plantation. We know from her diary, some of the things that caught her attention through the days. "Martha and I set out twenty-one little evergreens today. . . . Blossom has a calf. . . . I began my lessons today, French, Italian, Literature, Rhetoric, Astronomy and good many other things. . . . There is a man at the Courthouse sick with the smallpox. . . . I rode with Logan to look at the little calves and up in the mountain. . . . Last night a mink killed four sitting hens. . . . The most beautiful day I most ever saw, the mountains are clear and deep blue and the air is so sweet with the mock orange." Daisy died when she was sixteen. Mr. and Mrs. Williams, that she might be remembered, planned that Sweet Briar should become a college.

This is Sweet Briar College, founded in 1901 in memory of Daisy Williams. To the girls who come here through the years, Sweet Briar gives much, but nothing of greater value than two things it gave also to Daisy Williams: the experience of being a member of a simple friendly community, and the remembrance of days spent among scenes of gracious, natural beauty.



LASTING AND *Sweetbriar* GROWING FOREVER



"BUT IN THE FUTURE WE'LL FIND IT"



# OF THE PRESENT AND THE FUTURE

In the pages that follow, we bring you Sweet Briar as we have known it. Through each part of this book, College Classes, Organizations, Athletics, May Day, we hope you will find in future years words that suggest happy memories, a face that recalls a friend, a scene that brings back thoughts of old surroundings.

And although we have printed here only material things, we hope that in these pages you will see reminders of the gracious beauty that can accompany college life, of lasting friendships, of valuable work, of all the things we are glad to think are the heart of life at Sweet Briar.

## WITHIN OUR HEARTS"





# BERNICE DRAKE LILL

TO BERNICE DRAKE LILL, faculty advisor to the Class of Nineteen  
Hundred and Forty-one, we dedicate the 1940 BRIAR PATCH. With  
sincere appreciation we acknowledge the enthusiastic help she has given  
to every one of us since our first days at Sweet Briar, and offer her our  
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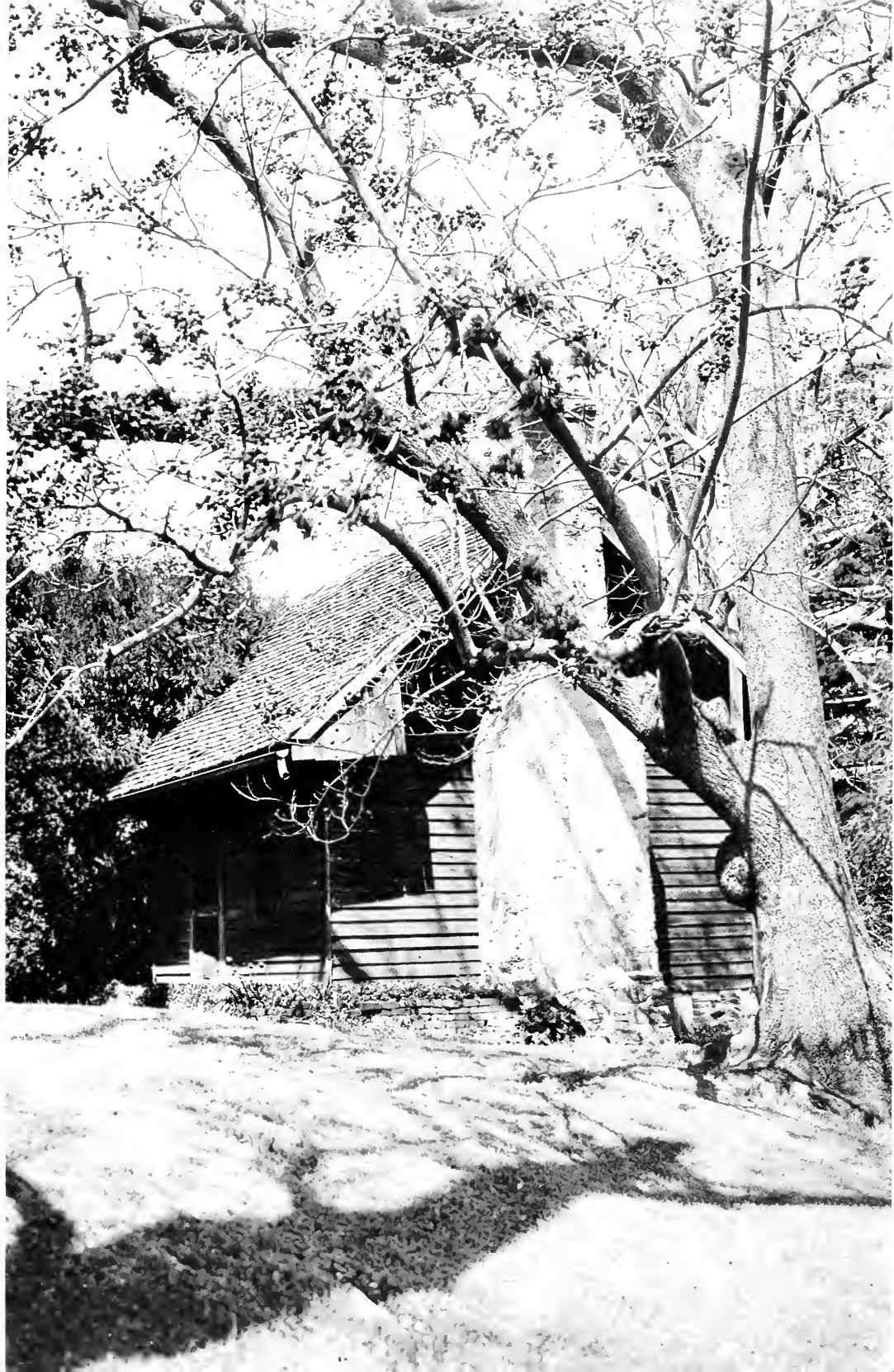
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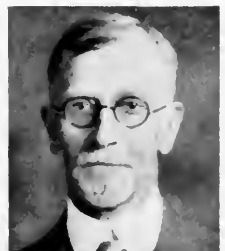
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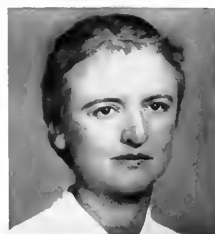
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Each year at Founders' Day, as a memorial to a man who served Sweet Briar first as legal advisor and later as chairman of its board of directors, the Alumnae Association gives the Manson Memorial Scholarship to an upperclassman, who in addition to distinguishing herself in the academic fields, has shown qualities which make her a real leader and contributor to the life of Sweet Briar College. On October 27, 1939, the Manson Memorial Scholarship was awarded to Elizabeth Duke Lee of Wush, China, a member of the class of 1940.

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*"One class are We, now"*



united by Tradition. ever to be<sup>29</sup>





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sichore . . . German Club . . . New York,  
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*Economics and Sociology*

House President of Carson . . . *Harp-  
er's Bazaar* . . . Y. W. C. A. Cabinet . . .  
Dotty . . . Spring in Bermuda . . . Ad-  
visory Council . . . Autumn leaves . . .  
Social Committee . . . Board of Control  
. . . BRIAR PATCH Staff . . . Sociology  
and Economics Club . . . Tau Phi.



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Treasurer of Sociology and Economics  
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. . . German Club . . . Dwight Fiske . . .  
Surveyor of the Seven Stars . . . U. Va.



THE *Briar Patch* OF NINETEEN FORTY

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CARTER

Darien, Connecticut

*French*

Clemmie . . . Paint and Patches . . .  
"Sir Walter Raleigh" . . . Q. V. . . .  
*Baedeker* . . . Italian Club . . . Vice-  
President L'Alliance Française . . . Y.  
W. C. A. Cabinet . . . Friends of Art  
. . . *Brambler* Staff . . . Chapel Choir . . .  
German Club.



MURIEL JOY CARTER

San Antonio, Texas

*Classics*

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Sophisticated Lady . . . Archeological  
Society . . . Toby jugs . . . Athene . . .  
American Beauty.



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Bedford, Virginia

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International Relations Club . . . Annie  
. . . Sociology and Economics Club . . .  
Bridge score . . . Quiet pools.



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Club . . . Bonnie Scotland . . . Classical  
Club . . . Kittens . . . Music Club . . .  
Catullus . . . Star dust.



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CURRIE

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Connie . . . Sociology and Economics  
Club . . . Swimming Council . . . Horse  
Show . . . Camera Club . . . Sneakers . . .  
Riding Leader . . . Windsor . . . Paint  
and Patches.





MARION DAUDT

St. Charles, Missouri

*English*

Riding leader . . . Hamburgers . . .  
Navy Blue and Gold . . . Boots and  
Breeches . . . English Club . . . Blue ribbon.



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## ANN BRIGHT DAWSON

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*English*

English Club . . . "The Blue Danube"  
. . . Chapel Hill . . . "Drifting and Dream-  
ing" . . . German Club . . . Tangi . . .  
Sandwiches.



## LAURA ANTOINETTE DICKIE

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*Art*

Advisory Council . . . Nan . . . Wed-  
ding bells . . . Church Committee . . . Clas-  
sical Club . . . Knit one, purl two . . . As-  
sistant Editor of the *News* . . . Press Club  
. . . *The New Yorker*.



MARGARET HARALSON  
DOWELL

Washington, D. C.

*French*

L'Alliance Française . . . Rippling  
rhythm . . . Friends of Art . . . Camera  
Club . . . April in Paris . . . El Club  
Espanol . . . Classical Club.



KATHERINE SWANN ESTES

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*English*

Vice-President of Music Club . . .  
Kitty . . . Lake Council . . . Amber . . .  
Treasurer of English Club . . . "Je Re-  
vien" . . . Maytime . . . Sociology and  
Economics Club.



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... Scarab bracelets ... President of  
Chung Mung ... Post Office ... "For  
God, for country, and for Yale" ... Y.  
W. C. A. Cabinet ... *Brambler* Staff ...  
Diminuendo ... International Relations  
Club ... Head of Hiking ... BRIAR  
PATCH Staff.



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FEUCHTENBERGER

Bluefield, West Virginia

*Music*

Senior Song Leader ... Houseparty  
... Music Club ... Choreography ...  
"Stags at Bay" ... Glee Club ... Pier-  
rette ... Step Singing ... Choir.



BLANCHE EVANS FLEMING

Memphis, Tennessee

*Psychology*

Paint and Patches . . . Midge . . . Glee  
Club . . . Golddust . . . L'Alliance Fran-  
caise . . . Stag line . . . El Club Espanol  
. . . Camera Club . . . White orchids . . .  
Choir . . . Q. V. . . . Press Club . . .  
Quicksilver.



BETTY FRANTZ

Roanoke, Virginia

*Chemistry*

Paint and Patches . . . Giggle . . . Ger-  
man Club . . . News Staff . . . Footlights  
. . . Tripos Club . . . Noonday sun . . .  
Biology Club . . . Inn Committee.



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Classical Club . . . Raleighs . . . Sweaters and Tweeds . . . Banking and Finance . . . Sociology and Economics Club.



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Richmond, Virginia

*English*

President of Tau Phi . . . Glee Club  
. . . Hockey Sticks . . . House President  
of Gray . . . Treasurer of Student Gov-  
ernment . . . Yale's deep blue . . . Funds  
Committee . . . Checked Tweed . . . Eng-  
lish Club . . . President of Freshman Class  
. . . Wind and sun . . . Dance Group.



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GOCKLEY

Freeport, New York

*History*

Choir . . . "Nicky" . . . Station wagons  
. . . Sociology and Economics Club . . .  
"Use Hughes" . . . News Staff . . . Ox-  
ford Glasses . . . B. H. Wragge . . .  
Aints and Asses.



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Grenock, Maryland

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chors Aweigh" . . . Head of Baseball . . .  
"Let there be light" . . . Paint and  
Patches . . . Ateneo . . . Shutterbug . . .  
BRIAR PATCH Staff . . . Varsity Lacrosse  
. . . Avalanche . . . Italian Club . . .  
L'Alliance Française.



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*French*

L'Alliance Française . . . French heels  
. . . Dance Group . . . Grand slam . . .  
Tripos Club . . . Photoplay . . . El Club  
Espanol . . . Children's Committee.





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*Art*

International Relations Club . . . Bolero . . . "Spirit of V. M. I." . . . Dean's List . . . Orchids and Anchovies . . . Aints and Asses . . . Streamliner . . . May Court.



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Chattanooga, Tennessee

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Chung Mung . . . Loch Lomond . . .  
Social Committee . . . Honors Exams . . .  
English Club . . . *Readers Digest* . . .  
Friends of Art.



GEORGIA HULL HERBERT

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Head of Social Committee . . . Deep  
South . . . Paint and Patches . . . Glee  
Club . . . English Club . . . Dress for  
Dinner . . . Music Club . . . Golden Mean  
. . . Tau Phi . . . Choir . . . BRIAR  
PATCH Staff.



KATHERINE GRAY HODGE

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International Relations Club . . . Summer day . . . Camera Club . . . El Club Espanol . . . Fairway . . . Italian Club . . . Reserve Shelf . . . Classical Club . . . Altar Committee.



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Chung Mung ... Curtain call ... Inter-  
national Relations Club ... Orange juice  
... "Möllers Psychology" ... Orienta-  
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President of Senior Class ... Brown  
velvet ... House President of Reid ...  
Italian Club ... Lucky penny ... Paint  
and Patches ... Chung Mung ... Head  
of Mid-Winter Dances ... *Cosmopolitan*  
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... Orientation Committee ... Q. V. ...  
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Fiddles . . . News Staff . . . Jade Green  
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Skies . . . Brambler Staff.



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. . . Swimming suit . . . Social Committee  
. . . Y. W. C. A. Cabinet . . . Candle  
light . . . Lake Day Committee.



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Xanadu . . . May Court . . . Café au  
Lait . . . Editor of 1939 BRIAR PATCH  
. . . Sophomore Class President . . . Ma-  
dame Chairman . . . Tau Phi . . . L'Alli-  
ance Française . . . Studio Club . . .  
Radiance bright . . . Q. V. . . Inter-  
national Relations Club . . . German Club.



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Toscanini.



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green . . . German Club . . . Dean's List.



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MERRILL

Washington, D. C.

*Religion*

Classical Club . . . A. A. Milne . . .  
Sociology and Economics Club . . . Fri-  
day-to-Monday . . . Bull Sessions . . .  
Soap bubbles . . . May Day Committee.





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*Sociology*

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Edgeworth, Pennsylvania

*Art*

German Club . . . Sally . . . Christmas  
Night . . . Classical Club . . . Art Exhibit  
. . . Aints and Asses . . . Salt Water  
Taffy . . . Friends of Art . . . Excursion.



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Question mark . . . Sociology and Eco-  
nomics Club . . . Roller coaster . . . El  
Club Espanol . . . Golden Echo . . .  
Social Committee.



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Little Rock, Arkansas

*Political Economy*

Head of Orientation . . . Glamorous  
Grammer . . . Vice-President El Club  
Espanol . . . Twinkle, twinkle, twinkle  
. . . Tau Phi . . . Advisory Council . . .  
"I Love Life" . . . Sociology and Eco-  
nomics Club . . . Q. V. . . . Choreography  
. . . Arkansas traveler . . . May Court . . .  
Chung Mung . . . Director of Internal  
Disorder.



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C. P. . . . News Staff . . . German Club  
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BRIAR PATCH Staff . . . Orientation Com-  
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Student-Faculty Relations Committee . . .  
Soap box . . . Sociology and Economics  
Club . . . Neiman-Marcus . . . German  
Club . . . Dean's List . . . President of  
Texas Club . . . Classical Club . . . Aints  
and Asses.



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Club . . . Fuller Brush Man . . . German  
Club . . . Indian Mission . . . Minister of  
Propaganda . . . Happy Daze . . . Aints  
and Asses.



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PARTRICK

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retary of The Classical Club . . . Winnie-  
The-Pooh . . . Glee Club . . . Wood vio-  
lets . . . Music Club . . . Classical Club.



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*News* . . . Classical Club . . . Typewriter  
. . . El Club Espanol . . . Hiking Leader  
. . . Benda Masks . . . Camera Club . . .  
Tau Phi . . . Q. V. . . . Saddle shoes . . .  
L'Avant Garde . . . Sullivan Award  
Committee.



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Music . . . BRIAR PATCH Staff . . . Cap  
and Gown . . . Tanz Zirkel . . . Press  
Club . . . Goldilocks . . . International Re-  
lations Club . . . Sociology and Eco-  
nomics Club . . . News Staff.



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. . . Secretary Funds Committee . . .  
Fourth of July . . . Chung Mung . . .  
L'Avant Garde . . . Wood Fire . . .  
Brambler Staff . . . Sociology and Eco-  
nomics Club . . . Noise Warnings . . .  
News Staff . . . Betty The Briarite . . .  
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Chung Mung . . . Bridal Path . . . Head  
of Basketball . . . Telephone calls . . .  
Middle West . . . Aints and Asses.



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lilies . . . President of the Board of Pub-  
lications . . . Chung Mung . . . "Starlit  
Hour" . . . German Club . . . Classical  
Club.



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A. Cabinet . . . Sociology and Economics  
Club . . . Cracked Ice . . . *Brambler* Staff  
. . . Friends of Art . . . Lightning . . .  
Aints and Asses . . . Student Faculty Re-  
lations Committee . . . Brown Orchids . . .  
Chung Mung . . . May Court.



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*News* Staff . . . Mona . . . Carousel . . .  
L'Alliance Française . . . "One O'clock  
Jump" . . . Press Club . . . El Club Es-  
panol . . . Hammer and Paint . . . Ger-  
man Club . . . Paint and Patches . . .  
Ginger Ale.



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Club . . . *Town and Country* . . . Inter-  
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Tau Phi . . . The Helping Hand . . .  
Advisory Council . . . *Patience* . . . Saint  
Andrews . . . Test tubes . . . Q. V.



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. . . Coronet . . . Q.V. . . . El Club Es-  
panol . . . Bright Honor . . . Sociology and  
Economics Club . . . Silver and old lace  
. . . Glee Club . . . May Court . . . Still  
waters . . . Choir . . . Twinkle . . . Tau  
Phi.



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Bonfires.



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May . . . Camera Club . . . Pianoforte  
. . . Varsity Basketball . . . South wind  
. . . Choir . . . Leica . . . Secretary of the  
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. . . Argyle socks . . . Sociology and Eco-  
nomics Club . . . International Relations  
Club . . . "Hughes" . . . May Court . . .  
L'Avant Garde . . . Summer Sun . . .  
Classical Club.



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Tennis team . . . Roller skates . . . Inter-  
national Relations Club.



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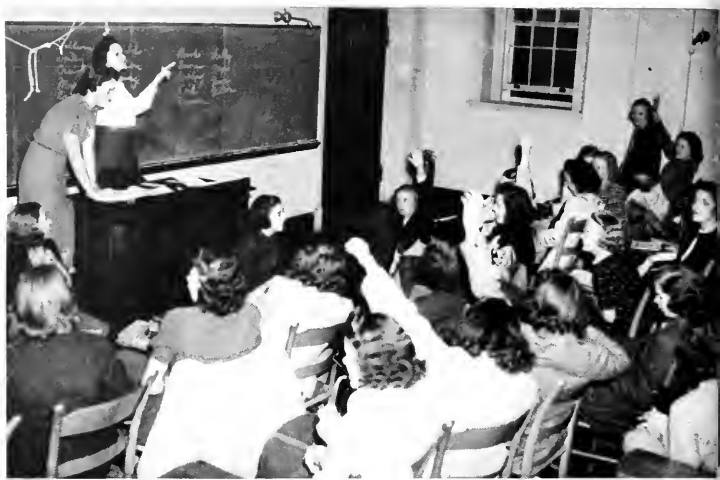


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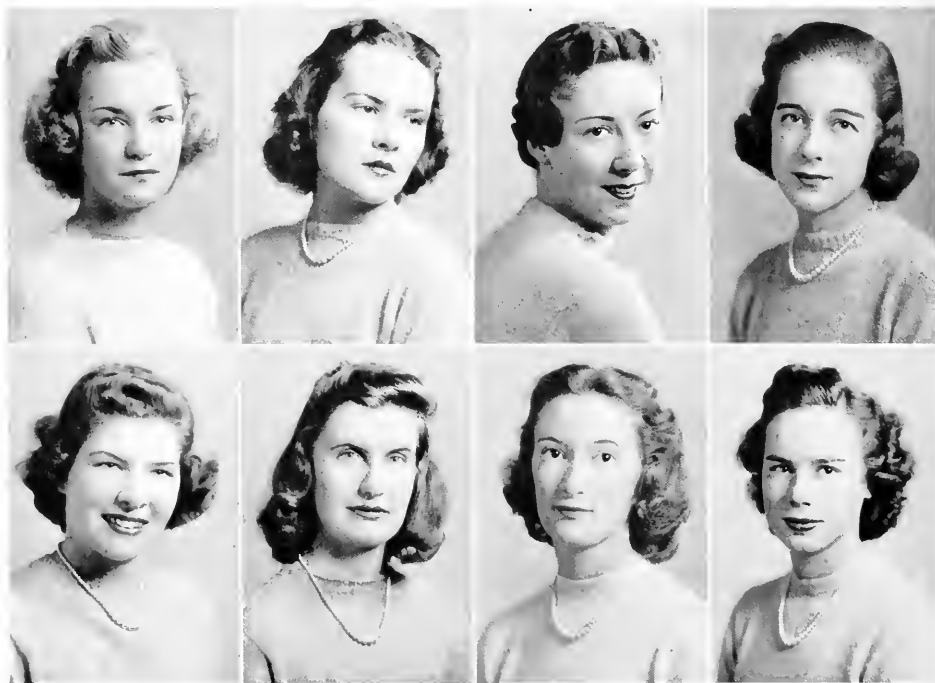
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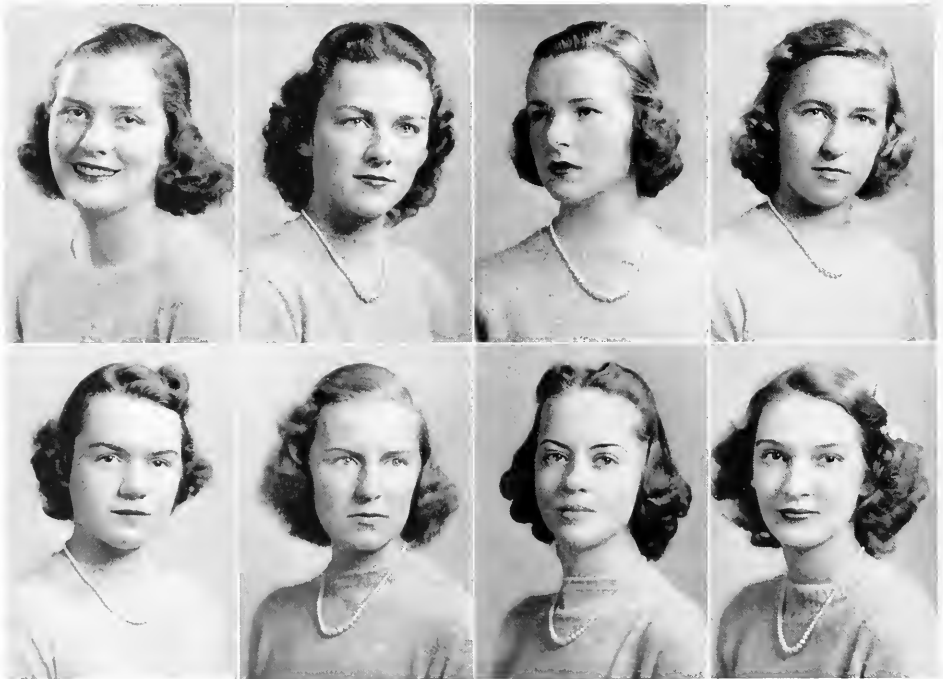
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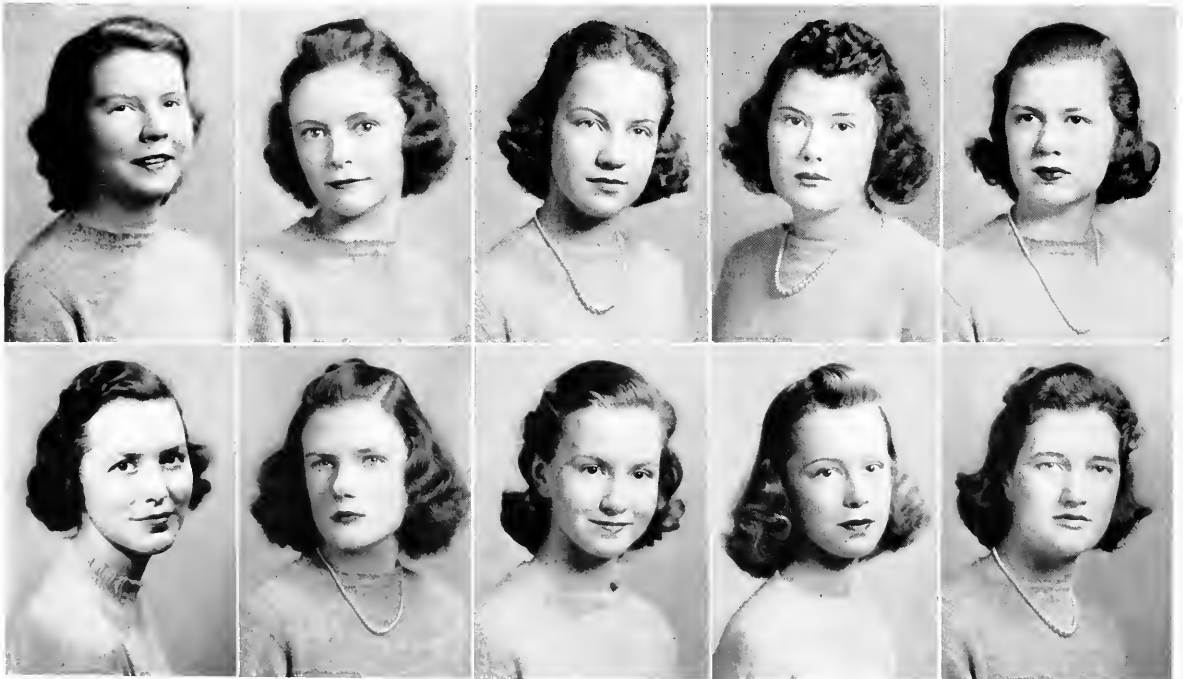
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## "I'M A SOPHOMORE"

Founder's Day again . . . Rufus watches

the birdie, not the ponies . . . On the fence, or

sadder Budweiser . . . Jackson of Cripple

Creek . . . Jingle bells . . . Prelude to the

Skater's Waltz.







## 'SITTING ON THE SOPHOMORE WALL'



"They've gone out from Möller's psychology" . . . "Happiest of all." . . . Penny is at the other end of the camera for a change . . . Concentration . . . Snow and ice . . . The Library Pool . . . Surprised, Dougie? . . . The initiation committee in action . . . Mary Ellen and Bobby.





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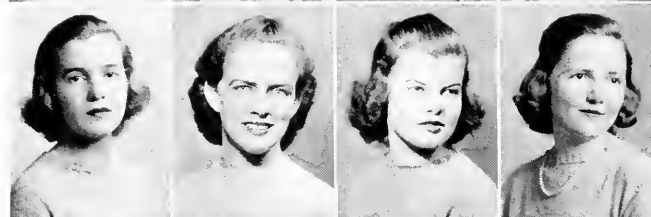
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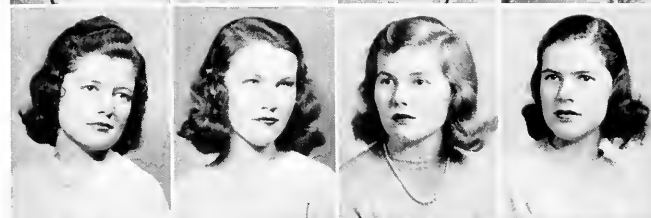
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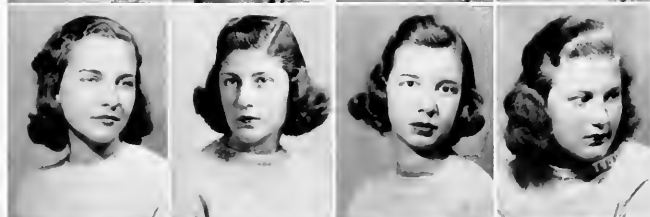
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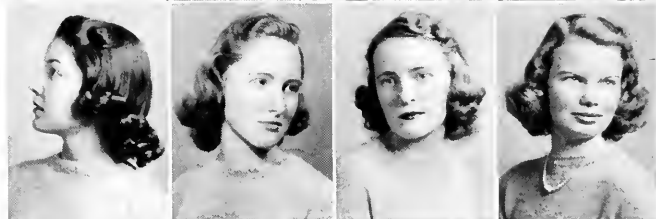
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# 'WE WORE THE FRESHMAN APRON'

"Oh high and mighty senior, I am but a lowly worm" . . . Senior names from A to Z . . . You can wash anything in Lux . . . Fugit is only a beautiful memory . . . It's just the hall of third floor Reid but I calls it home.





## "FRESHMAN CLASS IS HIGH MINDED"

"They've gone out from Rice's Hygiene" . . . "Then we  
go to the station" . . . Student Faculty Relations . . . Mary  
Eleanor qualifies for the S. P. C. A. . . . Somebody's on  
the wrong side of the fence.





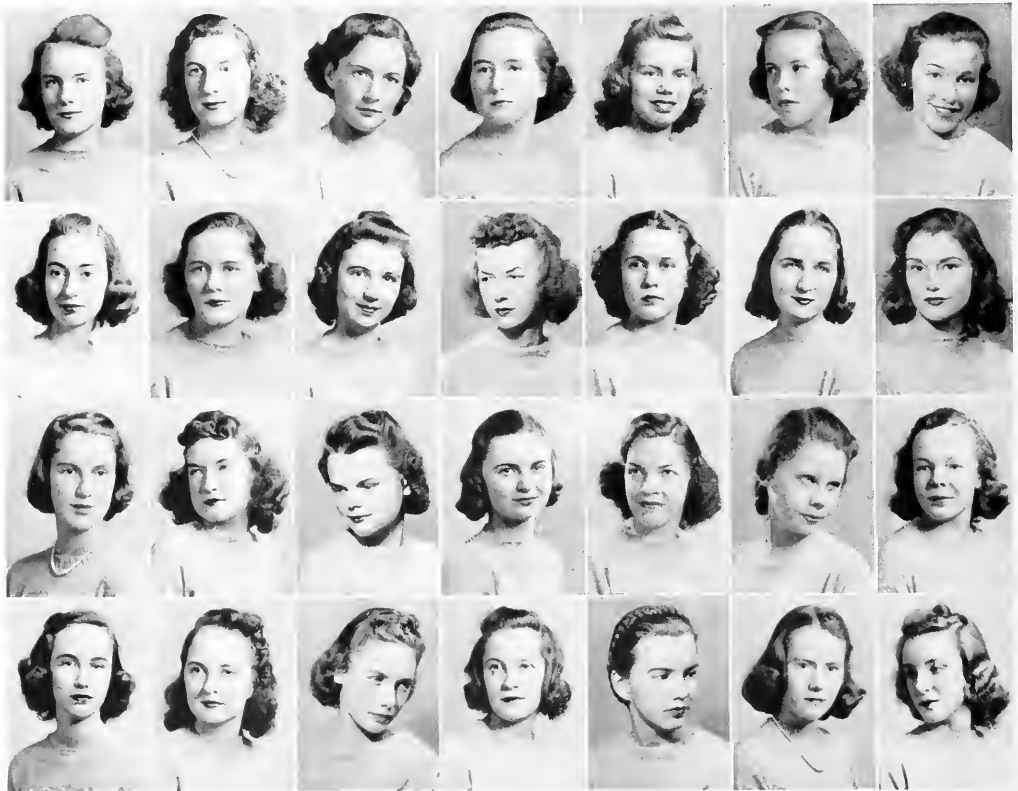
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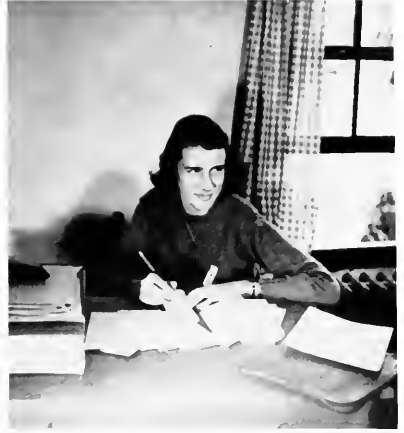
*"Thy columns white"*





shine on thy Hills a beacon light





## "THERE'S NOTHING THAT WE CANNOT DO"

"Glory, glory, I'm a Chung Mung" . . . P. & P. S.—Keep off the grass . . . Getting glamour in Grammer,

Sally? . . . Which show are you watching, Dewey? . . . Gilding the lily . . . Paint and Patches presents

. . . "Sumus Philosophae Scholarum" . . . Behind the scenes.





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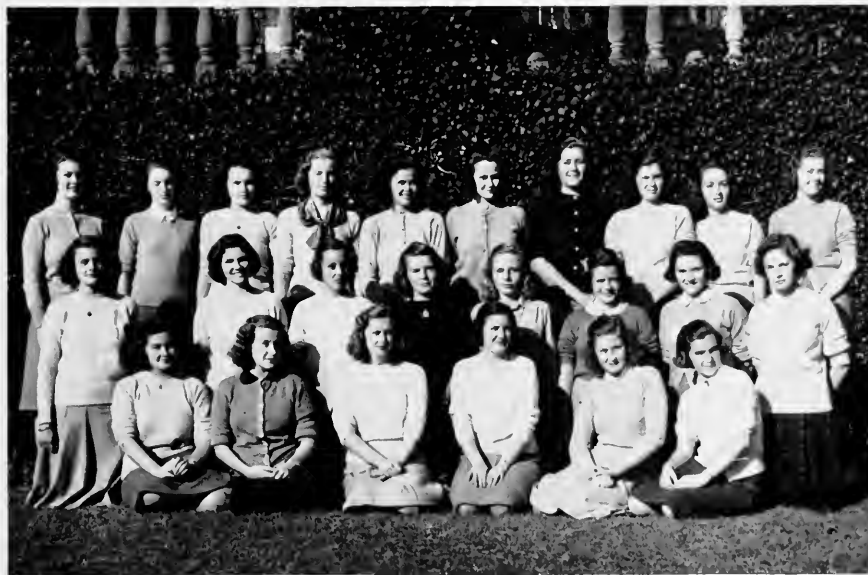
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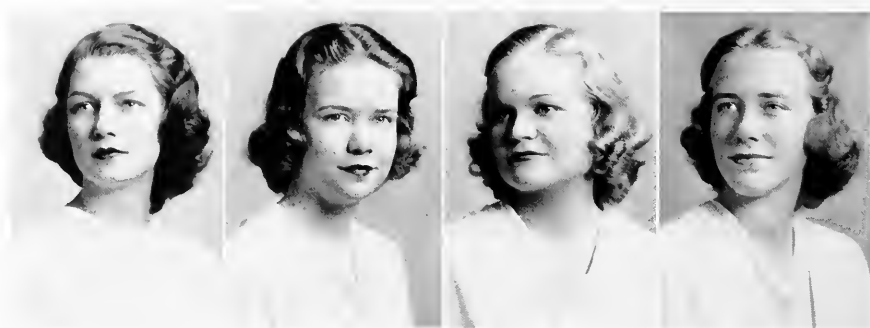


ADVISORY COUNCIL

The tradition of Student Government is of long standing at Sweet Briar, having been inaugurated in 1906. At that time the student body obtained the right of self government, a right which has since been an integral part of the life of the college. Every student is given, through her membership in the Association, the opportunity to develop a sense of individual and community responsibility. The Executive Committee is composed of the officers of the association, the six house presidents and the President of the Freshman class. This year the House Councils were arranged with the idea of placing more responsibility in the hands of

every student and of giving each girl the opportunity to profit by the actual administration of her own government. House Councils are small groups in each of the six dormitories to whom the executive committee delegates the power to administer the Campus, House, Social, and Smoking Regulations of the Association. Every girl in college belongs to a House Council at some time during the year. The Advisory Council consists of representatives from the various organizations and the four classes. It is the place of the group to consider, with suggestions and criticisms, matters of general community interest.

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life. The Y. W. C. A. coffee hours throughout the year are invaluable in fostering and increasing cordial relations between faculty and students. The evening chapel services have become through their simplicity and serenity, a cherished part of the life here at Sweet Briar.

The activities of the Y. W. C. A. are not limited to our own campus; they include the maintenance of educational and recreational activities for the children in several Amherst County schools, participation in national conferences and contacts with other branches of the Y. W. C. A.

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In order to be a member of Tau Phi a girl must stand for everything that Sweet Briar holds dear. She must cooperate in student and community activities, and try to promote an interest in art, literature, and science. A high standard of academic work is presupposed, but even more emphasis is laid upon attitude and effort in behalf of Sweet Briar. "The value of an honorary society of the nature of Tau Phi lies both in the ideals it holds and the challenge it presents to the community. It remains useful as

long as its members' activity expresses these ideals and the community continues to think them valuable."

New Tau Phis are announced each fall at the first step singing of the year, and the announcement is always attended with much excitement.

The activities of Tau Phi include ushering at lectures and concerts and taking charge of the Browsing Room and the Study Galleries of the Library on Sunday.



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FRANCES MOSES

## ORIENTATION COMMITTEE

FRANCES MOSES ..... *Chairman*

The Orientation Committee forms the most effective link between the new students and the old. This organization, composed of representatives of the three upper classes attempts to welcome and acclimate the new students in the academic, social and extra-curricular activities of the college life. The members of the committee become acquainted with their groups of Freshmen during the summer, and in the fall attempt to bring them together by means of informal picnics, dinners, and parties.

### MEMBERS

Barrett, Beasley, Brown-Serman, Burroughs, Davenport, Devine, Dewey, Gurney, Ivins, Jackson, Johnston, Mitchell, Morrison, Pickard, Rector, Royall, Schmid, Snow, Swency, Tomlin, Troutman, Woods, Vanderbilt



## SOCIAL COMMITTEE

The Social Committee administers the social regulations at Sweet Briar and endeavors to make the social life of the college as gracious and natural as possible. The committee is composed of thirteen seniors and one junior whose duties include acting as hostesses in the dining room, where on Friday night they provide music during dinner, acting as hostesses for lectures and concerts, sponsoring Saturday night dances, regulating social standards, and dealing with social problems that arise.



GEORGIA HERBERT

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## LIMELIGHT

*School for Husbands . . .*  
*Adding Machine . . .*  
*Marriage Proposal . . .*  
*Riders to the Sea . . .*





Paint and Patches, Sweet Briar's dramatic club, endeavors to bring to the students new experiences in, and appreciation of the drama. The club gives to every girl interested in the theater an opportunity to work in whatever department she may choose. The members of Paint and Patches find means of self-expression not only in acting but in designing, and creating scenery and costumes, in handling stage lighting, and make up. In December the club produces a play with cast and staff chosen entirely from among the new students at Sweet Briar.

### "SCHOOL FOR HUSBANDS"

The first presentation of Paints and Patches in 1939-40 was Arthur Guiterman's adaptation of "School for Husbands" by Molière. This play was a landmark in the

development of the club as it combined for the first time the work of the departments of music, dancing, and drama.

### "THE ADDING MACHINE"

The second large production of the year was the "Adding Machine" by Elmer Rice, presented by Paint and Patches in March.

The December production was three one-act plays, "Riders to the Sea" by J. M. Synge, "Maker of Dreams" by Oliphant Downs, "Marriage Proposal" by Anton Chekhov. These plays were produced by new students.

Paint and Patches ended an extremely successful season with the presentation of Shakespeare's "As You Like It." This play was given at Commencement in the Box-wood Gardens.

# SONG LEADERS

Step Singing is one of the most characteristic of Sweet Briar's customs. Every fine fall and spring Sunday afternoon, finds the entire school assembled in the quadrangle, to sing the school and class songs. Under the direction of the song leaders each class presents new and original songs as well as the tra-

ditional ones. This year the song leader of the Senior class is Anna Mae Feuchtenberger; of the Juniors, Mary James; Sophomores, Phyllis Sherman; Freshmen, Anne Tweedy.

Step Singing is the occasion of the announcement, in the fall, of the new members of Tau Phi, and in the spring of those of Q. V.

Sherman, Feuchtenberger, Tweedy



# Q. V.

JANET LEE APPELL

FRANCES BOYNTON

ELIZABETH RUSSELL CHAMBERLAIN

BARBARA ENGH

LAURA REED GRAVES

CATHERINE ANN HAUSLEIN

SALLY LINDSAY JACKSON

GRACE WILKINSON LANIER

ALICE WARREN SWENEY

MARY ELLEN THOMPSON

MARGARET FOOTE TROUTMAN

DAPHNE BOWEN WITHINGTON

GRACE DOUGLAS WOODS

Q. V. is an honorary society of Sophomores, founded by the class of 1937. Members are chosen by the organization of the preceding year on the basis of their enthusiasm and constructive attitude during their Freshman year. In order that they may work effectively, their identity is kept secret throughout their Sophomore year, until a step-singing early in May, when their names are announced. To be a member of Q. V. is not merely an honor, it is a challenge to live up to the best for which Sweet Briar stands.





CORNELIA CHALKLEY

## SWEET BRIAR CHOIR

CORNELIA CHALKLEY.....*Head of Choir*

LOUISE PARTRICK .....*Librarian*

The Sweet Briar choir is made up of members chosen for their vocal talent, musical interest, and responsibility. Although its main purpose is to provide music for the Sunday church services, it is a vital part of several other special services throughout the year, among them the Christmas Carol Service and the Baccalaureate Service in June.

This year, as an innovation, the choir sponsored the formation of the Chapel Choir. This organization provides the music for the weekly chapel services.

### MEMBERS

Boze, Briggs, Brightbill, Burroughs, Case, B. Engh, J. Engh, Feuchtenberger, Fleming, Gilbreth, Gockley, Greene, Herbert, Holman, Hudson, M. James, Kinne, Kirk, Lloyd, McClintock, Malone, Parker, Quinn, Sexton, Sorenson, Taylor, Thomas, Trosch, Turner, E. F. Turner, Tweedy, Ward, Wheat





# GLEE CLUB

The Sweet Briar Glee Club is composed of eighty girls whose talent and enthusiasm combine to make their club one of the most outstanding on campus. The most important programs for this year were a joint concert with the Princeton Glee Club in Washington and another joint concert with the Harvard University Symphony Orchestra at Sweet Briar. One other important event was the annual Carol singing in which the Glee Club was aided by the Senior Class in spreading Christmas cheer at vacation time.



## MEMBERS

OLIVE MAY WHITTINGTON

Abbott, Ammarell, Bean, Boynton, Boze, Briggs, Brightbill, M. J. Brooks, Burnett, Burroughs, Cardamone, Case, Chalkley, A. Chamberlain, E. Chamberlain, Clarke, Craighill, Cunningham, Dailey, Devore, Dunkin, Early, B. Engh, J. Engh, Feuchtenberger, Fleming, Forsc, Frost, Gilbreth, Gill, Greene, Hathaway, Hauseman, Herbert, Holman, Hudson, Jacobs, James, Jones, Kinne, Lanier, Loving, Malone, McClintock, Miller, Mitchell, Morrison, Parker, Patrick, Peak, Pettit, Pierson, Preston, Quinn, Ripley, Sampson, Sexton, Shannon, Sherman, Simmen, C. Smith, N. Smith, Somerville, Sorenson, Taylor, Thomas, Trösch, Turner, Tweedy, I. Vongehr, E. Vongehr, Walke, Wheat, Wheeler, Withington, Willis





LOIS FERNLEY, PRESIDENT

Mystery and carefully guarded secrecy surround the comings and goings of this organization. In fact, Sweet Briar knows the Chung Mungs chiefly by their white

## Chung Mung

robed mid-night marches and their stirring chants. But these thirteen upper classmen who are chosen for "being particularly prominent in all fields of college life and being particularly consecrated to the instigation and procreation of the well-rounded college citizen" from a group whose fine spirit and worthwhile aims make them a powerful influence on campus.

Chung Mung lends its originality and vitality to many worthwhile ends. Its members sponsor the Annual Red Cross Roll Call at Sweet Briar, and this year more than doubled the collections of any previous year.

In its more frivolous moments the Club provides hilarious entertainment for the college, with such diversion as a Circus, a play, and the "Chung Mung Calendar."





Ivins, Rector, Neel, Snow, Woods, Schmid, Spencer, Haskins, Devore, Gurney, Dewey, Brown-Serman





## Midwinters Dance

FRANCES BOYNTON	{	.....Chairmen of the Dance
MARY ELLEN THOMPSON	}	
ALICE SWENEY	{	.....Dinner Dance
VIRGINIA THAYER	}	
VIRGINIA BEASLEY	{	.....Decorations
EUGENIA BURNETT	}	
SALLY SCHALL	{	.....Flowers
ELSIE DIGGS	}	
LUCY CALL	{	.....Finances
DEBORAH WOOD	}	
POLLY PEYTON	{	.....Correspondence
	}	
	{	.....Properties
	}	

A gay procession of the hunting season paraded along the walls amid evergreen boughs under a crisp blue autumn sky. Subtle swing was provided by Charlie Randel's orchestra, atmosphere by Mr. Martindale in his pink coat, southern graciousness by the receiving line which stood on the steps of an old colonial mansion. The intricate sophomore figure led by Frances Boynton and Mary Ellen Thompson was the highlight of the evening's entertainment.





MARY PETTY JOHNSTON



ELEANOR SNOW

# STUDENT HANDBOOK

MARY PETTY JOHNSTON  
*Editor*

Published annually under the auspices of the Young Women's Christian Association, the *Student's Handbook* furnishes an indispensable means of acquainting new students with the standards of college life. The *Handbook* contains the Constitution and By-Laws of the Student Government Association, the Faculty Rulings, the regulations of the Athletic Association, the College Directory, the College Calendar for the current year, and miscellaneous information concerning organ-

izations, traditions and precedents. Each year the *Handbook* records the changes in the Constitutions of the three major organizations. In addition, the *Handbook* contains the advertisements of various Lynchburg firms whose reliability is vouched for by the *Handbook*. Each new student receives a copy of the *Handbook* before she arrives at Sweet Briar, and through it she becomes familiar with the campus life in all its phases.

# THE 1940

## ANNE DEWEY, Editor

The BRIAR PATCH is, each year, the project of the Junior class. As far as is practical, an attempt is made for the class as a whole to participate in its publication. Although most of the work is done by an appointed staff under the direction of the Editor and Business Manager, the cooperation and understanding of the entire class play a great part in its successful completion. Work on an annual of the size and the scope of the BRIAR PATCH gives to the members of the staff valuable experience in art work,

writing, business transaction, and other fields of journalism.

The staff of the BRIAR PATCH has initiated several changes this year. Chief among these is the writing of a constitution in order to secure a more efficient administration of the organization.

In addition, the staff has produced a supplement to the book in the form of a separately bound May Day section. The proceeds from the sale of this supplement are to be given by the staff to the Auditorium Fund.

ANNE DEWEY

### EDITORIAL STAFF

Bagby, Baldwin, Breedlove, Brown-Serman, Cantey, Engh,  
James, Kirk, Scully, M. E. White



# BRIAR PATCH

BETTY DOUCETT, Business Manager



MARY E. DOUCETT



BUSINESS STAFF

Albray, Bennett, Burroughs, Cardamone, Colley, Gurney,  
Lloyd, McNarney

The first BRIAR PATCH was published thirty years ago and since that time the book has grown and developed to keep pace with the development of the College. It has grown actually in size as well as in scope, the new, large size book being adopted four years ago. Each year there are additions to the record of student activities, and an increased effort on the part of the staff to produce an interesting and

authentic portrayal of life at Sweet Briar. It is the fundamental purpose of the BRIAR PATCH to present to the student body in general and to the Senior Class in particular, by means of words and pictures, a tangible reminder of each college year. It is to this end that the staff of this book has worked and it is with sincere affection that we present the BRIAR PATCH to the Class of 1940.



JANE HOPKINS

# The Sweet

THE WEEKLY PUBLICATION OF THE  
STUDENTS OF SWEET BRIAR COLLEGE

*Editor-in-Chief*

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# THE



CLARA MACRAE

CLARA MACRAE...

Editor

The *Brambler*, the college literary magazine, appears five times a year to present the best literary efforts of all four classes. Short stories, informal essays, articles of local interest, interviews, controversial articles, poems, and book reviews, all find their way into its pages. The staff is composed of upper-classmen, and a Sophomore representative. Those who have shown a real interest in the *Brambler* by contributions, and in other ways, are appointed to the staff.

## EDITORIAL STAFF

Brown-Serman, Carter, Dewey, Falkner, Ingles, Lewis, MacKinnon, Scully, Vongehr, Vallance



# BRAMBLER

ELIZABETH IVINS ..... *Business Manager*

One or two contests are sponsored annually by the *Brambler* to arouse interest and to discover new material. A special effort was made this year to get contributions from the Freshmen and an entire issue representing their class was published. The staff is composed of business and editorial groups, who, besides working independently, often have joint meetings to discuss improvements on the magazine. Mr. Joseph Dexter Bennett is the helpful and enthusiastic faculty adviser to the staff.



ELIZABETH IVINS

## BUSINESS STAFF

Fernley, Kahn, Mitchell, Rector, Schmid, Spencer





CECILIA MacKINNON

# English Club

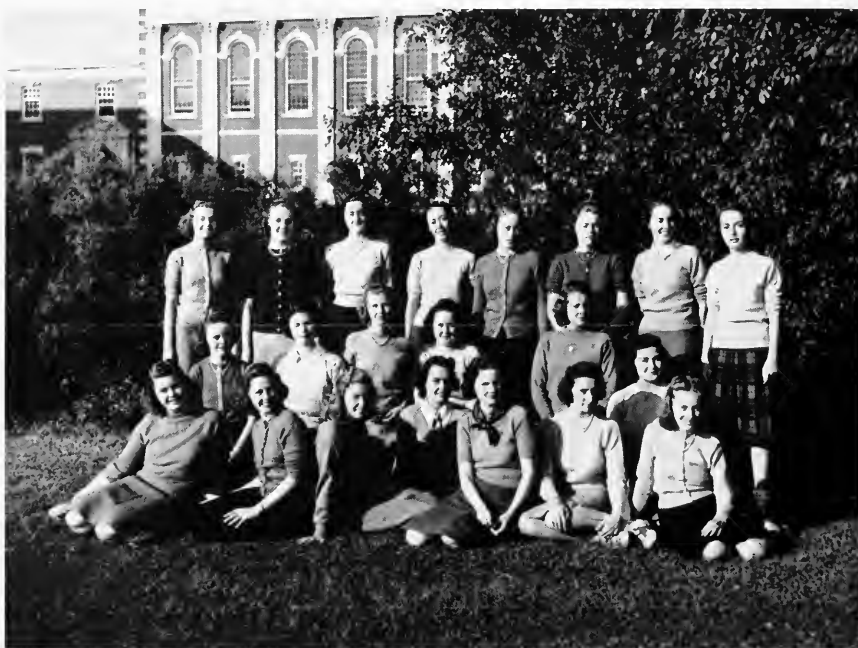
CECILIA MacKINNON.....*President*

KATHERINE ESTES.....*Secretary-Treasurer*

Every girl whose major subject is English is a member of the English Club, an organization which helps keep the college in touch with contemporary literature. Once a month the members meet to hear new books reviewed and to discuss modern literary trends. Out of the club funds are purchased a certain number of the best of the current books. These books are at the member's disposal for the year, and are then given to the Browsing Room.

## MEMBERS

Baldwin, Breedlove, Chichester, Dailey, Daudt, Davis, Dawson, Dewey, Engh, Estes, Gill, Gregg, Gwinn, Haskins, Hathaway, Herbert, Hill, Hudson, Ingles, Kirk, MacKinnon, Martin, Nehring, Norman, Royall, Sims, Watson, Whittington, Wyckoff



# IL CROCCHIO ITALIANO

JEANNE ADELAIDE HARRIS ..... *President*

MARY PETTY JOHNSTON.....*Vice-President*

ANGELA CARDAMONE .....*Secretary-Treasurer*

The aim of the Italian Club is to present to the students interested in the contribution of Italy to modern civilization, an opportunity to study different phases of Italian culture. Through informal talks on Italian art, music, history, philosophy, literature, and the country itself, the members become acquainted with the part played by Italian culture in the world. Twice a year open meetings are held at which the subject of discussion is of general interest.



JEANNE ADELAIDE HARRIS

## MEMBERS

Bagby, Beasley, Benedict, Bush, Godfrey, Harrison, Hauseman, Hodge, Holman, Ingles, Jacquot, Kelly, Lewis, Marill, Meek, Oberkirch, Park, Pickard





MARIA BURROUGHS

# MUSIC CLUB

MARIA BURROUGHS ..... *President*  
 KATHERINE ESTES ..... *Vice-President*  
 HORTENSE POWELL ..... *Secretary*  
 JEAN BLOUNT ..... *Treasurer*

The Music Club is an informal club for students actively interested in music. Its purposes are to provide opportunities for students of applied music to perform for one another, thereby gaining skill and experience, and to develop a deeper insight into music study through talks by students of music courses and by faculty members.

## MEMBERS

Blount, Burroughs, Chalkley, Cunningham, J. Engh, K. Estes, Feuchtenberger, Gill, Hauseman, Herbert, Hodges, Holman, M. James, Marill, Mitchell, Morrison, Oberkirch, Partrick, Powell, Sheldon, Swann, Vongehr, Watson, Wheat, Whittington



# DER DEUTSCHE VEREIN

REBA SMITH.....President  
HELEN ANDERSON.....Vice-President  
JANE CLARK.....Secretary  
MARY SCULLY.....Treasurer  
SALLY SCHALL.....Program Chairman

*Der Deutsche Verein* was organized for the purpose of furthering German culture at Sweet Briar. The members consist of students interested in, or enrolled in, German classes. The club meets every three weeks and at these meetings different phases of German life are discussed. Occasionally someone who can talk of her personal experiences in Germany, is present. A high point in this year's entertainment was the Christmas party.



REBA SMITH

## MEMBERS

Bagby, Beach, Bean, Boze, Brightbill, Brooks, Brown-Serman, Buchanan, Cantey, Chamberlain, Clark, Crumpler, Darby, Davenport, A. Dawson, Dunn, Engh, Frost, Gilbreth, Gockley, Grimes, Graves, Groves, Hoeber, Jones, Littleton, Malone, A. Martin, F. Martin, Mayo, A. Mitchell, S. Mitchell, Moore, Nehring, Noland, Schall, Scully, Simmons, Sexton, Smith, Snow, Somervell, Sorenson, Tower, Vass, Vongehr, Wilkenson, Withington, Zeisler





ELEANOR BOSWORTH

## EL CLUB ESPAÑOL

ELEANOR BOSWORTH..... *President*

REBEKAH PANNILL..... *Vice-President*

MARIANNE WHITE..... *Secretary-Treasurer*

### MEMBERS

Adams, Bosworth, Cardamone, Colley, Craig-  
hill, Dailey, Devine, Dowell, Fleming, Godfrey,  
Goodwin, Graves, Harris, Holman, Key, Moon,  
Moses, Myers, Pannill, Park, Phinizy, Preston,  
Royall, Runkle, Schmid, C. Smith, Spurlock,  
Thomas, Troutman, Walker, Watkins, White,  
Woods, Mrs. Lill, Honorary member





El Club Español is composed of thirty students who have had at least one semester of Spanish and who are particularly interested in all phases of Spanish and Latin American culture—music, art, and literature.

Within the club is the Ateneo, an honorary group whose members are elected by the

club. All members must have an "A" average in Spanish and a "B" average in other subjects. Each member conducts an individual research on subjects of special interest and presents a paper at a meeting of the Ateneo.

#### MEMBERS OF THE ATENEO

Mrs. Raymond, Miss Bucham, Señor Mangiafico, Dr. Develin, Eleanor Bosworth, Barbara Godfrey,  
Ruth Goodwin, Margaret Preston, Alice Williams, Marianne White





MILDRED MITCHELL

## Sociology and Economics Club

MILDRED MITCHELL ..... *President*

The Sociology and Economics Club is composed of Juniors and Seniors who are majoring in Sociology and Economics, or who have taken at least two courses in the department. The club meets informally once a month to discuss modern trends in the field, and through open forum discussions to keep the members in touch with current matters of social and economic interest. It tries also to stimulate an interest in these matters throughout the entire community.

### MEMBERS

Adamson, Booth, Burnett, Brooks, Campbell, Caperton, Clark, Colley, Collins, Currie, Davidson, Doucett, Devore, Esler, Estes, Fowlkes, Furniss, Gass, Gayle, Gockley, Hopkins, Irvine, Loving, McNarney, Merrill, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Moses, Newby, Phillips, Powell, Rector, Runkle, Shaw, Smith, Spencer, Tomlin, Tower, Thomas, Vass, White, Woods



# I. R. C.

MARY JANE BURNETT ..... *President*  
 RUTH COLLINS ..... *Vice-President*  
 MARY SCULLY ..... *Secretary*  
 ETHEL JAMES ..... *Treasurer*

One of the purposes of the International Relations Club is to promote understanding of world problems through study and discussion. To this end the regular meetings, which feature guest speakers, are frequently preceded by informal discussions which are planned to provide background material for a better appreciation of the lecture. This year the club has cooperated with the college in planning the series of lectures and discussions on democracy held during the year.



MARY JANE BURNETT

## MEMBERS

J. Baker, M. Baker, Bennett, Bunting, Burnett, Burroughs, Bush, Caperton, Chamberlain, Coleman, Colley, Collins, Davidson, Davis, Dewey, Fernley, Frost, Goolrick, Hamer, Hodge, Ingles, Ivins, Hamer, Johnston, Lee, Lewis, Lloyd, Loveland, MacKinnon, MacRae, Meek, Mitchell, Newby, Ogden, Overstreet, Pannill, Powell, Preston, Ripley, Robineau, Runkle, Scully, Silberstein, Sterrett, Tower, Vallance, Vongehr, Woods, Wyckoff





ELIZABETH LANCASTER

# Biology Club

ELIZABETH LANCASTER.....*President*

All students interested in biology, in addition to those majoring in this department, are eligible to become members of the Biology Club. Once a month this group meets to discuss matters concerning Biology, Zoology, Botany, and Medicine. Each year some student who has shown a zealous interest and ability in the field of Biology is presented with a scholarship which enables her to take a summer course in some biological department.

## MEMBERS

Adamson, Beach, Buchanan, Buzby, Currie, Duggins, Frantz, Lembeck, Neel, Scully, Sorenson, Miss Martha Clark, Miss MacRae, Dr. Ames, Dr. Hague



# Tripes Club

DECCA GILMER .....*President*

MARGARET CRAIGHILL ....*Secretary-Treasurer*

The Tripes Club, which was founded in 1936, has for its members students whose chief interests are Physics, Chemistry, and Mathematics, and who are taking advanced courses in these fields. The aim of the club is to further interest in modern science and scientific problems, and to study their relationship to daily living. Meetings are held every six weeks and the programs consist of talks on topics of contemporary science by faculty, students, and outside speakers.



DECCA GILMER

## MEMBERS

Buzby, Coleman, Craighill, Esler, Frantz, Gilmer, Huner, A. King, J. King, Lembeck, McIver, Robbins, Simmen, Somervell, Sorenson, Ward, Zeisler





MARTHA RECTOR

# Classical Club

MARTHA RECTOR.....*President*

The Classical Club has arisen to further interests in the classics. Its aim is to instruct as well as to amuse and it pursues its interests not only in the literature of ancient times, but also in the archeological studies, attempting to link the past with the present. It also buys books for the classical shelf in the Browsing Room of the Library, and has started a collection of coins and antiques which it increases from time to time.

## MEMBERS

Bagley, Baldwin, Call, Carter, Chalkley, Coleman, Conklin, Cunningham, Dickie, Dowell, Esler, Furniss, Foss, Greer, Groves, Herbert, Hill, Hodge, Hodges, Hudson, King, Lewis, Lindsay, Marr, Merrill, Mitchell, Mitchell, Myers, Myers, Partrick, Phinzy, Pickard, Quinn, Sanderson, Sasscer, Sexton, Shaw, Shoemaker, Smith, Snow, Taylor, Vallance, Vanderbilt, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson, Williams, Williams, Woods, Miss Dutton, Miss Malz, Miss Pearl, Miss Robinson, Miss Sanford



# TEXAS CLUB

BENADINE NEWBY ..... *President*

The Texas Club is composed of students and faculty members from the state of Texas. Meetings are held four times throughout the year. On the second day of March, the anniversary of the Independence of the State, and the twenty-first day of April, the anniversary of the battle of San Jacinto, special celebrations are held by the club. For several years the Texas Club has each year presented a book concerning Texas to the Browsing Room of the Library.



BENADINE NEWBY

## MEMBERS

Adams, Barrett, Bratten, Carter, Chilton, Dewey, Early, Ferguson, Gates, Gwyn, Kelly, Long, McElhannon, Newby, Robbins, Sanford, Trippe, Turner, Tweedy, Weems





JANE BUSH

## L'ALLIANCE FRANCAISE

JANE BUSH ..... *President*  
ELEANOR BOSWORTH ..... *Vice-President*  
ADELAIDE BOZE ..... *Secretary-Treasurer*

The *Cercle Française* was organized in 1924. In 1929-30, it became affiliated with the *Alliance Française* of the United States and Canada, and took the name of *L'Alliance Française*.

The club has for its purpose the stimulation of interest in French language and French culture. This has been successfully achieved during the year by encouraging French conversation, giving a play, presenting several French films, and having at each meeting a lecture on French art, literature, music or theatre.

### MEMBERS

Abbot, Bagby, Burnett, Brainerd, Call, Cantey, Carter, Chamberlain, Conklin, Dowell, Fleming, Forsch, Foss, Godfrey, Goodwin, Greene, Groves, Harrison, Hoeber, Hudson, Kirk, Lanier, Lee, Meacham, Pannill, Preston, Spurlock, Wheat, Worthington





# PRESS CLUB

The purpose of the Press Club is to familiarize its members with the fundamentals of news writing and gathering; to stimulate interest in journalism and to provide a channel through which such interest

may be made effective; and to supply an intelligent basis of experience and accomplishment for the selection of the staff of the *Sweet Briar News*.

## MEMBERS

Ammarell, Barnes, Becker, Bratten, Breedlove, Briggs, Brooks, Carter, Cheek, M. Claybrook, P. Claybrook, Dailey, Devine, Devore, Dickie, Diggs, D. Douglas, S. Douglas, Duggins, Foss, Gilbert, Gordon, Greene, Gregg, Hamer, Hanger, Harris, Hedley, Hensley, Hopkins, Howard, Howell, Hume, Ivins, Jacquot, M. Johnston, P. Johnston, Kinne, Kirk, Knowlton, Kunst, Lancaster, Law, Lawton, Lindsay, Loveland, McDowell, McJunkin, McVay, Marr, Mitchell, Myers, Noland, Norris, Norton, Oberkirch, Ogden, Ord, Overstreet, Parker, Pettit, Peyton, Phinizy, Pickard, Powell, B. Preston, M. Preston, Rawn, Rector, Ringer, Ripley, Roberts, Runkle, Ryan, Sanford, Sorenson, M. Tomlin, N. Tomlin, Vongehr, Watkins, D. White, M. White, M. E. White, V. White, Wilkinson, Worthington, Wright





MARGARET WOODS

# Aints and Asses

MARGARET WOODS.....*President*

NIDA TOMLIN.....*President-Emeritus*

AGNES SPENCER.....*Viceroy of the Victuals*

SHIRLEY SHAW.....*Comptroller of the Currency*

PATRICIA DOWLING.....*Custodian of the Cuspidor*

MARGARET CAPERTON,  
*Surveyor of the Seven Stars*

ETHEL GURNEY.....*Mistress of Mismanagement*

MARIA BURROUGHS.....*Keeper of the Keys*

FRANCES MOSES.....*Director of Internal Disorder*

## MEMBERS

Beasley, Burroughs, Caperton, Damgard, Dowling, Gass, Gockley, Goolrick, Kelly, McGuire, Martin, Mitchell, Moses, Noland, Newby, Pickard, Rector, Royall, Schmid, Shaw, Spencer, Tomlin, D. Woods, M. Woods, Worthington





## AINTS AND ASSES

This jolly group of burly burlesquers whose main purpose in life is to recreate Paint and Patches productions in a ridiculous fashion, adds much color to Sweet Briar campus. Their theatrical efforts presented in Commons several nights after a Paint and Patches play, reveal their originality, versatility, and general mental caliber. "Each member of this talented group is the charming possessor of a scintillating sense of the silly, as well as of hysterically humorous

histrionic ability." The shrill whistles in the spring marks the emergence of these "poisonality" girls as the guardians of the grass.

*"Aints and Asses,  
Swellest lasses, not one nub  
Paint and Patches  
Are no matches for our club.  
We aint no Sarah Bernhardts,  
Jane Cowl has got us licked,  
But for our 'Poisonality'  
We was picked."*



LAETITIA SEIBELS

# STUDIO CLUB

LAETITIA SEIBELS.....*President*  
FRANCES CHICHESTER.....*Secretary*

The Studio Club tries to draw together those who are interested in sketching or painting, and limits its membership to those whose work, submitted for entrance, shows a fair amount of ability. Meetings are held to give opportunities for sketching, round table discussion, and furthering interest in art. Sketching expeditions and picnics are held in the spring and fall as a means of increasing the member's opportunities to gain experience in drawing and painting.

## MEMBERS

Craighill, Cummings, Frost, Hathaway, Littleton, Loving, MacKinnon, Vongehr, White



# Camera Club

BARBARA GODFREY  
*President*

EVELYN CANTEY  
*Vice-President*

PENELOPE LEWIS  
*Secretary-Treasurer*

The Camera Club was formed in 1938. When organized its purpose was to create and keep alive a genuine interest in photography, its principles and practices, and to provide a medium for exchange and presentation of ideas emphasizing the practical aspects. The Club still holds this same purpose, its members being required only to have an active interest in photography.

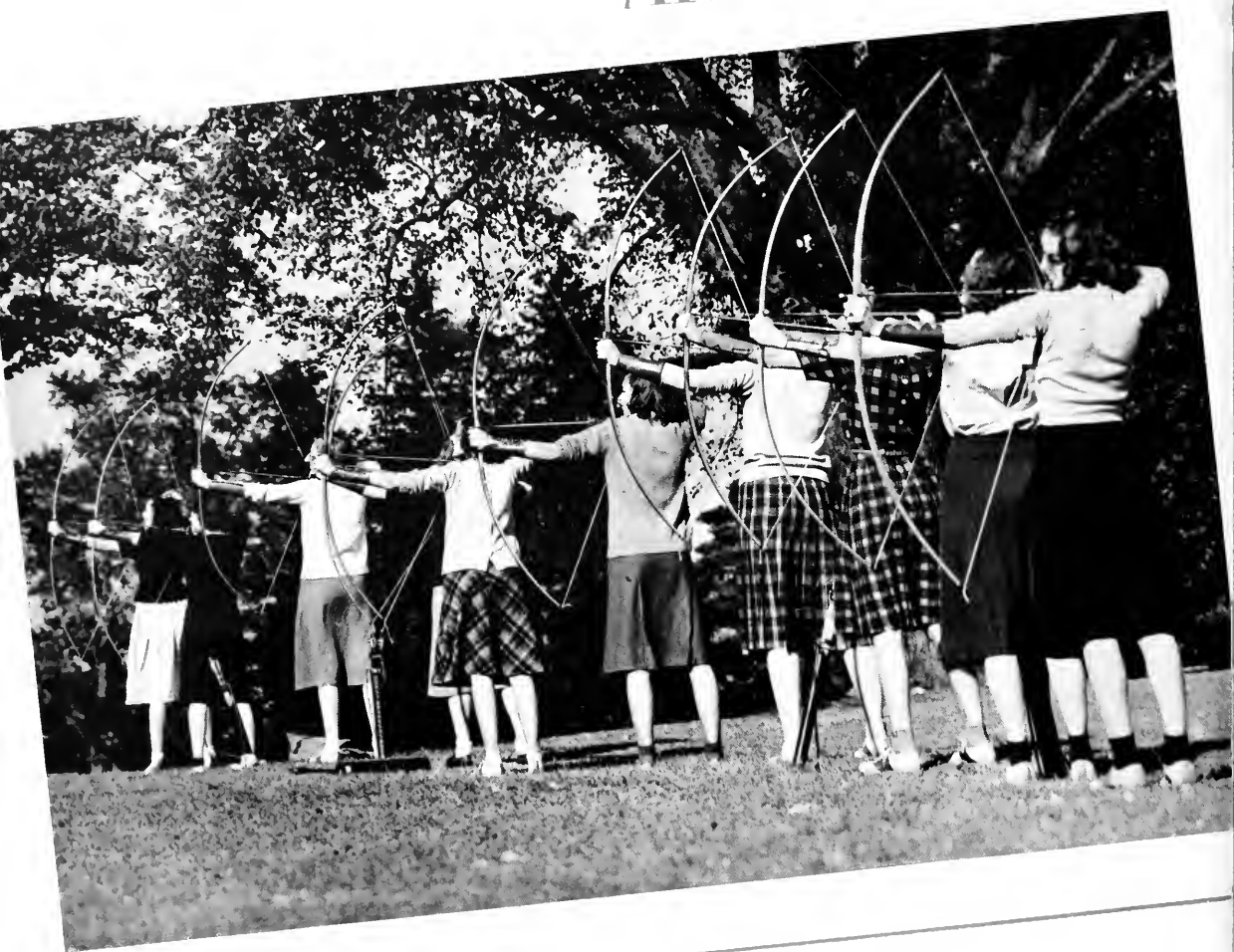
## MEMBERS

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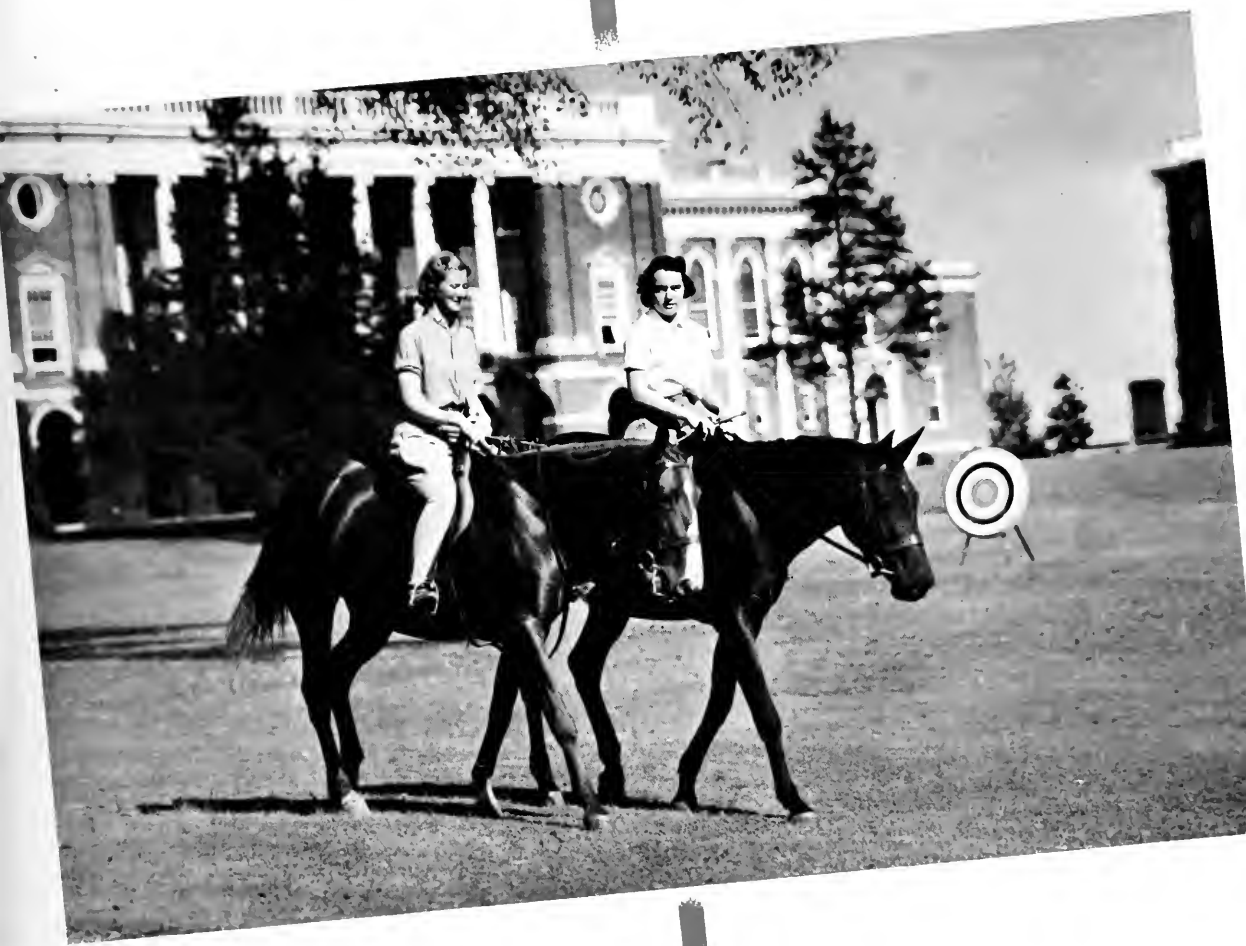
*Faculty Members:* Dr. Edwards,  
Dr. Record, Dr. Rice



# ATHLETICS



<sup>66</sup> Sweetbriar, living



each day in thy Beauty<sup>94</sup>







# ATHLETICS, FALL . . WINTER . . SPRING.

Tee for two—Mr. Napier gives valuable advice . . . Shoot that goal—exciting moment on the basketball court . . . Lo and Miss Riggs look on for a change . . . On the ball . . . Getting ready for the obstacle race on Lake Day . . . Target practice—“Get a beau with a bow.”



# THE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

CONSTANCE CURRIE ..... *President*  
LOIS FERNLEY ..... *Vice-President*

SHIRLEY SHAW ..... *Secretary*  
JOAN DEVORE ..... *Treasurer*

Under the direction of the Athletic Association an attempt is made to balance the academic life of Dancing, Lake, Hiking, Lacrosse, Baseball, Basketball, Tennis, Archery.

The association is comprised of ten departments representing the major sports, Hockey, Riding, Dancing, Lake, Hiking, Lacrosse, Baseball, Basketball, Tennis, Archery.

Shaw, Currie, Fernley, DeVore



# HOCKEY

ETHEL GURNEY . . . *Heads of Hockey* . . . LOUISE LEMBECK

Hockey is the sport most universally participated in at Sweet Briar. A comparatively warm climate makes possible a long season in which activities range from classes for beginners to the work of the varsity squad. There are games of various kinds throughout

the season, many inter-class games as well as special games played by the Varsity and Freshman teams at Sweet Briar and at other schools. The Varsity team each year plays in the Virginia tournament.

## VARSITY SQUAD

Eager, Littleton, Sweeney, Frost, Gurney, Boynton, Currie, Hauslein, Lembeck, Fernley,  
Jackson, Devore, Ringer, Law, Ogden, Appell





# RIDING

HAZEL STERRETT, *Head of Riding*

An excellent stable makes riding one of Sweet Briar's most popular sports. In addition to a fine group of mounts, there is an indoor riding ring, an outdoor ring, and miles of bridle paths through beautiful scenery.

## RIDING LEADERS

Beasley, Currie, Daudt, Gilmer, Graves, Gwinn, Ringer, Sheldon,  
Sterrett, Withington



# BASKETBALL

HELEN SCHMID, *Head of Basketball*

Basketball is chief in importance among the winter competitive sports at Sweet Briar. Excellent coaching and training afford each student a good opportunity to perfect her game.

Inter-collegiate varsity competition is provided by such teams as William and Mary, Westhampton, Virginia Inter-mont and Beaver College. In addition, there are inter-class games, inter-dorm contests and the most anticipated of all, the North vs. South game.

## VARSITY SQUAD

Appell, Brown-Serman, Clark, Currie, Hanger, Hauslein, Lembeck, Littleton, Ringel, Shaw, Sorenson, Thomas, Ward, Withington, Woods, Wycoll





CLARA CALL  
*Head of Dancing*



# THE DANCE

Dancing plays an important part in the physical education program at Sweet Briar. This form of activity offers not only excellent, healthful exercise, but an opportunity for creative work. Classes for academic credit are held during the winter and spring but, in addition, there is ample opportunity for extra-curricular participation. There are three dance organizations, Tanz Zirkel, Dance Group, Choreography Group, whose work varies in aim and difficulty. This year recitals were presented in November and in February.

## CHOREOGRAPHY

Bennett, Breedlove, Call, Gwinn, Jackson, Meacham, Moses, Ripley

## DANCE GROUP

Baldwin, Brooks, Craighill, Davenport, E. Hill, Holman, Seibels, E. Vongehr, Wilson

## TANZ ZIRKEL

Barrett, Cummings, Cunningham, Diggs, Dunn, B. Engh, Mitchell, Moore, Morrison, Schall, Tower, Wilkinson





# THE LAKE

MILDRED MITCHELL, *Head of Lake*

One of the most popular places on Sweet Briar campus, especially in the spring and early fall, is the Lake. A council of Junior and Senior Lifesavers is effectively working during these times, to insure safety for swimmers. In the spring, on Lake Day, students have the opportunity to take part in swimming, boating, and canoe races, and a competitive meet is held between the classes. Gala Night, which follows Lake Day, is a favorite event for which beautiful floats are built by the various classes and societies. The athletic awards for the year, and the results of Lake Day competition are announced on this night.



## LAKE COUNCIL

Miller, Currie, Fernley, Simmen, Godfrey, Lembeck, Myers,  
Estes, Call, Lancaster, Lanier, Thayer, Park, Scully, Loving,  
M. Mitchell







# HIKING

BENADINE NEWBY, *Head of Hiking*

The hiking leaders have been concerned primarily with the outing cabin this year. Under their administration it has become an ideal place for relaxation. Groups may spend the night there or they may go up during the day to split and saw wood, or if a person is of an artistic nature, a bench or table may be built. The cabin makes a nice half-way house for hikes to the mountain. Bells and regulations may become tedious, but even a debutante's nerves could be soothed by the super slumber and the hilarious fun that old clothes, good steaks, excellent company, provide at the cabin.

## HIKING LEADERS

Fernley, Godfrey, Ingles, Newby, Phinizy  
Noyes, Chamberlain, Johnson, Peyton





# LACROSSE

ARLINE SIMMEN, *Head of Lacrosse*

Lacrosse, although a comparatively new sport at Sweet Briar, has already taken its place as one of the major Fall athletic activities. Class and inter-

class games are held regularly. Optional Lacrosse is offered in the Spring and is enthusiastically participated in by players of all classes.

## VARSITY SQUAD

Albray, Currie, Fernley, Godfrey, Gurney, Greene, M. P. Johnston, Kniskern, Lembeck, Simmen, Shaw, Taylor, I. Vongehr



# BASEBALL

BARBARA GODFREY, *Head of Baseball*

For the past several years, baseball at Sweet Briar has been an optional sport and thus enjoyed by the few but enthusiastic players who come out for practices in the spring. Hardball has always been played. This year, however, softball, as part of the winter games program, was introduced and proved very popular. The highlight of the season is the Campus Character-Varsity game at which time both the faculty and the students turn out to cheer their respective teams. The game usually ends with the challenge to another game the next week. The season normally consists of bi-weekly practices, interclass games and the Campus Character games.

## BASEBALL TEAM

Appell, Currie, Godfrey, Greene, Gurney, Lembeck, Schmid, Shaw, Withington



BARBARA GODFREY



# TENNIS

EUNICE FOSS, *Head of Tennis*

Tennis at Sweet Briar begins in the fall when an enthusiastic lot of players throng to the six fine courts which are in constant demand. Although this popular sport is not given for academic credit in the fall, there are two tournaments, one for Freshmen and another for the community. These create much interest, but unfortunately by their completion, winter has arrived and it is necessary to put aside racquets until spring when the tennis season opens again. Then inter-class and inter-scholastic games cause much excitement, and rivalry between teams is great.

Sweeney, Bracher, Tomlin, Forsch, Brown-Serman



Eunice Foss





# ARCHERY

PATRICIA ANN DOWLING, *Head of Archery*

Archery is one of Sweet Briar's most enjoyable sports, popular with both the athletic and not so very athletic Briarites. Several tournaments for beginners only are held throughout the year and for the more advanced student there are different types of competition: College ladder, best individual score, and best class average.

# MAY DAY



<sup>66</sup> And crown her with



roses, with roses, red roses—





# MAY DAY

Friday night, the receiving line on the steps of a southern mansion . . . Down in the Dell for singing and dancing . . . and more dancing, 1939 model . . . Elephants at Sweet Briar, by courtesy of Colonel Carter's Circus . . . Hunter Hacks . . . Mary puts him over . . . Miss Meta . . . A little Southern conviviality . . . The Grande Marche.







Miss Viola James

*May Queen*

1939





MISS NANCY GATCH  
Honor Girl



MISS SHIRLEY DEVINE

MISS VIRGINIA WELLFORD



MISS JANE GOOLRICK



MISS OLIVIA DAVIS





MISS ANNI DEWEY



MISS MARIA BURROUGHS



MISS JEAN GRAY SCOTT

# THE MAY COURT

MISS VALERIA GOLI

MISS CHARLOTTE DAVENPORT

MISS MARGARET WOODS





MISS ELIZABETH COLLEY



MISS MIMI WORTHINGTON



MISS HAZEL STERRETT



MISS MARY TREADWAY



MISS YVONNE LEGGETT  
*Honor Girl*





MISS AGNES SPENCER



MISS FRANCES MOSES



MISS HENRIETTA COLLIER

Spring in the mountains, dog wood and red bud . . . Miss Meta of Sweet Briar Plantation bids you welcome . . . The polka, the schottische . . . *I Dream of Jeanne* . . . Crinolines and garlands . . . The charm of Southern graciousness in a setting of traditional beauty.

MISS ETHEL HAUBER

MISS RUTH HENSLEY  
MISS CYNTHIA ABBOTT

MISS MARGARET ELISABETH THOMAS





MISS JULIA SAUNDERS



MISS MARY MACKINTOSH



MISS GRACIE LUCKETT

Checkered shade in the Dell . . . Magnolia leaves . . . *The Bonnie Blue Flag* . . . Echoes of the past . . . *Codey's Lady's Book* . . . The boys in gray . . . Trumpets in the court . . . The Queen . . . May Day at Sweet Briar.



MISS JANE PARKER



MISS EVELYN WILLIAMS



MISS LOIS LEAR





MISS ELIZABETH LEE



MISS ELIZABETH DURHAM  
Honor Girl

MISS MARY E. BARGE

MISS EUDOXIA DINGMAN

MISS MARY BROWN



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1908-'09	Nan Powell	1925-'26	Elizabeth Rountree
1909-'10	Nan Powell	1926-'27	Warren Taylor
1911-'12	Eugenia Buffington	1927-'28	Jocelyn Watson
1912-'13	Eugenia Buffington	1928-'29	Eather Tyler
1913-'14	Rebecca Patton	1929-'30	Norvell Royer
1914-'15	Harriet Evans	1930-'31	Mary Lynn Carlson
1915-'16	Margaret Banister	1931-'32	Alice Weymouth
1916-'17	Virginia Sandmeyer	1932-'33	Marjorie Bufford
1917-'18	Louise Case, Marianne Martin	1933-'34	Julia Sadler
1918-'19	Isabel Wood	1934-'35	Lida Read Voight
1919-'20	Helen Johnson	1935-'36	Marion Taylor
1920-'21	Fanny Ellsworth	1936-'37	Nancy Nalle
1921-'22	Alice Early	1937-'38	Janice Wiley
1922-'23	Virginia Stanberry	1938-'39	Mary Mackintosh
1923-'24	Margaret Nelson	1939-'40	Elizabeth Lee

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1911-'12	Bessie Grammer	1928-'29	Elizabeth Lee Valentine
1912-'13	Dorothy Grammer	1929-'30	Mercer Jackson
1913-'14	Henrietta Washburn	1930-'31	Dorothy Boyle
1914-'15	Anne Shutte	1931-'32	Stuart Groner
1915-'16	Genie Steele	1932-'33	Adah Barber
1916-'17	Jane Henderson	1933-'34	Helen Bean
1917-'18	Dorothy Neal	1934-'35	Mary Jane Gipe
1918-'19	Dorothy Neal, Caroline Sharp	1935-'36	Alma Martin
1919-'20	Florence Ives	1936-'37	Ellen Lee Snodgrass
1920-'21	Mary R. Tyler	1937-'38	Jane Bemis
1921-'22	Ruth Fiske	1938-'39	Elizabeth Campbell
1922-'23	Ada Tyler	1939-'40	Margaret Elisabeth Thomas
1923-'24	Ada Tyler		

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1910-'11	Margaret Dalton	1927-'28	Evelyn Claybrook
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1912-'13	Elizabeth Franke	1929-'30	Mona Stone
1913-'14	Alice Swain	1930-'31	Mary E. Swift
1914-'15	Zalinda Brown	1931-'32	Anne McRae
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1918-'19	Florence Freeman	1935-'36	Katharine Niles
1919-'20	Nancy Hanna	1936-'37	May Paris
1920-'21	Burd B. Dickson	1937-'38	Moselle Worsley
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1922-'23	Elizabeth Taylor	1939-'40	Constance Currie
1923-'24	Frederica Bernhar		

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1912-'13	Mary Tyler	1917-'18	Charlotte Seaver
1913-'14	Rachel Forbush	1918-'19	Katherine Taylor

1919-'20	Katherine Taylor	1930-'31	Mary Henderson
1920-'21	Catherine Cordes	1931-'32	Betsy Higgins
1921-'22	Margaret Mierke	1932-'33	Enna Frances Brown
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1923-'24	Katherine Klumph	1934-'35	Anne Baker
1924-'25	Martha Ambrose	1935-'36	Betty Cocke
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1909	Margaret Cobb	1926	Elizabeth Rountree
1910	Josephine Murray	1927	Virginia Wilson
1911	Josephine Murray	1928	Marion Taber
1912	Eugenia Buffingham	1929	Belle Brockenbrough
1913	Mary Tyler	1930	Ruth Hasson
1914	Ruth Maurice	1931	Jane Muhlberg
1915	Ruth Watkins	1932	Virginia Hall
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1919	Helen Johnston	1936	Chloe Frierson
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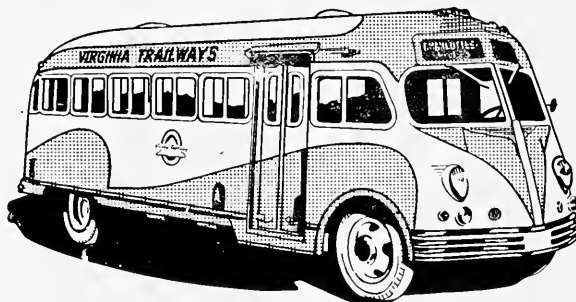
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